

International Institute for Population Sciences

Student Satisfaction Survey 2021-22



Introduction

Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) was conducted in the months of April and May 2022. The SSS questionnaire was administered online using google form. All the outgoing/graduating students during 2021-22 were emailed an invitation to participate in this online survey. Participation was voluntary and respondents were ensured confidentiality. Response from students enrolled in M.A./MSc, MBD, MPS and Pre-Ph.D. were taken. In total 107 students responded to the survey. The major components of the SSS were relating to:

- Curriculum, coverage of syllabus
- Teachers' method and approach of teaching, internal evaluation process
- Exposure and opportunities provided by the institute
- Exposure to soft skills, life skills and employability skills
- Student centric methods of learning, extracurricular activities, use of ICT in teaching
- Overall satisfaction about teaching-learning process



Number of students who responded to the survey



Majority of the students in all the courses either strongly agree or agree that the overall quality of teaching-learning process is good in the Institute.



75% MPS students, 68% MBD students and 80 percent pre-Ph.D. students felt that 85-100 percent of syllabus was coved in the class. The M.A./M.Sc. Students gave mixed response and only 38 percent felt that 85-100 percent syllabus was coved in the class.



More than 50 per cent MPS students felt that the teachers were thoroughly prepared for the class. Majority students in other courses like MBD, Pre-Ph.D. and MA/M.Sc. felt that teachers were satisfactorily prepared for the class.



Majority MPS students felt that teachers' communication was always effective. Students enrolled in other courses felt that the teachers' communication were sometimes effective.



- Nearly half of the students enrolled in all the courses felt that the teachers approach to teaching was very good.
- Nearly 36 percent MPS students also felt that the teachers approach to teaching was excellent.



Majority of the students felt that the teachers were always/usually fair in their internal evaluation process.

Was the performance in assignments discussed with you?



One third MPS students felt that their performance was discussed every time

Majority of students in M.A./M.Sc. felt that their performance was rarely discussed.



MPS students felt that the institution often/regularly took initiatives such as internships, field visit and exchange programme. M.A./MSc and MBD students seem more dissatisfied by the initiative of the Institute.



High Percentage of MBD (39%) students felt that the teaching and mentoring process in IIPS significantly facilitates in cognitive, social and emotional growth.

The Institute provides multiple opportunities to learn and grow



Ninety percent of MPS students and 70% per cent of Pre-PhD students either strongly agree or agree that the Institute provides multiple opportunities to learn and grow. Satisfaction is less among MA/MSc students.



High percentage of MPs students (65%) followed by M.A./MSc students felt that teachers informed them about the expected competencies, course outcomes and programme outcomes.

Your mentor does a necessary follow-up with an assigned task to you.



Majority students in MPS, M.A./M.Sc. and Pre-Ph.D. felt that teacher every time/usually does a necessary follow-up with as assigned task.



Majority students in MPS, M.A./M.Sc. and Pre-Ph.D. felt that teacher every time/usually illustrate the concepts through examples and applications

The teachers identify your strengths and encourage you with providing right level of challenges.



Majority of Pre-Phd students felt that teachers fully identified their strengths and encouraged them to provide right level of challenges

Teachers are able to identify your weaknesses and help you to overcome them



More than 30% Pre-Ph.D. students felt that teachers are able to identify their weakness and strengths and help them to overcome it.

The Institute makes effort to engage students in the monitoring, review and continuous quality improvement of the teaching learning process.



Most students agreed that the institution makes effort to engage students in the monitoring, review and continuous quality improvement of the teaching learning process.





MPS and Pre-Phd students agree that the institute to a great extent use student centric methods for enhanced learning experiences.





Majority students agree that teachers encourage them to participate in extracurricular activities.



Majority students in all courses agree either to a great extent or moderately that efforts are made by the institute/ teachers to inculcate soft skills, life skills and employability skills.



Majority students in all courses agree that more than 90% of teachers the use ICT tools for teaching.

Summary

- Majority of the students in all the courses either strongly agree or agree that the overall quality of teaching-learning process is good in the Institute.
- Majority of the students felt that the teaching and mentoring process in the Institute significantly facilitates in cognitive, social and emotional growth.
- Higher percentage of students gave positive response relating to majority aspects of teaching.
- Majority of the students felt that the teachers were always/usually fair in their internal evaluation process.
- Majority of students agree that the institute/teachers to a great extent, use student centric methods for enhanced learning experiences.
- Majority students in the Institute felt that teachers every time/usually illustrate the concepts through examples and applications.
- Student satisfaction is higher among MPS, MBD and Pre-PhD students compared to MA/MSc students.